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DR. J. C. S. S.
 A distinguished divine calls these three D's, Dirt, Debt and the Devil, an un-matched trinity of evil. If a man would be happy, he must avoid all three, and as studiously keep clear of Disease—another D you perceive. This calls to mind still another D: a "D. M. D." is, in fact, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the unfailing remedy for consumption (which is lung-scurf), in its early stages, as for chronic catarrh in the head, and bronchial, throat and lung affections generally. It is a nutritive, tonic and blood-purifier, and builds up the strength and flesh of those who are reduced below the usual standard of health in a most marvelous way. It allays irritation and subdues the worst lingering coughs. Guaranteed to benefit or cure in all diseases for which it is recommended, or money paid for it returned.

"He who hesitates is lost," but the man who bulges right ahead does not always get there.

Give the Children a Chance.
 There is something radically wrong with the health of a child when it seems listless, has poor or no appetite, eyes sunken and with dark skin beneath the eyes, and when these symptoms the child has worms, and all that it needs is some simple remedy, such as Hart's Worm Cream, to expel the worms, and the child will soon be in perfect health again. Parents, try it and let your little ones have a fair chance for life.

A man generally finds little difficulty in getting half seas over when he makes free use of the schooner.

Pelham's Drug Store, No. 24 Patton Avenue, opposite Grand Central Hotel.

Visitor:—The portrait is very fine, but you seem to have devoted more time to the hands than to the face. Artist:—That's so. You see the hands over the money.

"It goes right to the spot," said an old man, who was rubbing in Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment to relieve rheumatism. For sale by F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

You want to know how to evaporate apples, Amanda? Just leave them out where the small boys can get at them. If they don't evaporate there they never will.

Worked Like a Charm.
 Bradford's Female Regulator worked like a charm; improvement being wonderful; cannot express my gratitude. Wish every lady afflicted would try it. I know it would cure me. Mrs. LULA A. LONG, Spring Grove, Fla.

Write The Bradford Reg. Co., Atlanta, Ga., for particulars. Sold by all druggists.

First Small Boy—We had a fire at our house last night.
 Second Small Boy—That so?
 F. S. B.—Yes. Pa fired sister's beau.

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By a quick shot he had just rescued her from the clutches of a bear. "What were your thoughts when brain commenced to squeeze?" was his query. "O, Charlie, I thought of you!"

For rheumatic and neuralgic pains, rub in Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment, and take Dr. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla. You will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. For sale by F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

Pater—On your prospects will depend my acceptance of you as a son-in-law.
 Would-be Son-in-Law—H'm! Well, my prospects depend entirely on your acceptance of me as your son-in-law.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cts.

The Rev. Robert Collier, of the Park Avenue Unitarian church, receives \$10,000.

Is Consumption Incurable?
 Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable case. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middleton, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Trouble. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health. Try it. Sample bottles free at F. L. Jacobs drug store."

It is said that there are forty-eight languages and dialects spoken in Mexico.

Advice to Mothers.
 Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pains, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. 25c a bottle.

Dr. John Hall, of the Fifth Avenue church, draws a salary of \$20,000.

Buckley's Arnica Salve.
 The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

American bishops of Africa and India are paid \$4,000 and \$3,500 respectively.

The circulation of the blood—quickened and enriched—bears life and energy to every portion of the body; appetite returns; the hour of rest brings with it sound repose. This can be secured by taking Dr. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla. For sale by F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

South Africa farmers are greatly annoyed by baboons. The animals kill their sheep, rob their beehives and tear down fruit trees.

A Lady's Chances of Marrying.
 Every woman has a chance of "catching a husband," but it is conceded that young ladies between twenty and twenty-five years of age are more likely to draw the matrimonial prize. However it is not an unusual thing to hear of the marriage of a lady who has passed the three-quarter century mark. Yet, how can a woman, weak, dispirited, enervated and tormented by diseases common to her sex, hope to become a happy wife and mother? Of course she cannot; yet by the magic aid of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, all these obstacles are swept away. As a powerful, invigorating tonic, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription imparts strength to the whole system, and to the womb and its appendages, in particular. For overworked, "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, it is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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Dr. Paxton is said to receive \$10,000, Dr. Parkhurst \$3,000, and Dr. C. C. Thompson \$8,000.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cts. SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis.

T. De Witt Talmage, whose influence is as great in New York as it is in Brooklyn, is paid \$12,000.

We desire to state to our friends and all the people of Asheville and Buncombe county, that Pelham's Drug Store has been removed from the old stand on South Main, to the commodious and attractive store room, No. 24 Patton Avenue, Harkin's block, opposite the Grand Central Hotel, where their patrons and the public in general are respectfully requested to call. Pelham's Drug Store.

The last actor of St. Thomas' was paid \$18,000. Dr. Brown, who fills the pulpit at present, gets \$15,000.

The best selection of Xmas and holiday presents will be opened up this week at Pelham's new Drug Store, 24 Patton Avenue, opposite Grand Central Hotel. The public invited to call and save "ten per cent."

Dr. Morgan Dix, rector of Old Trinity, exercises a general supervision over the parish chapels, and gets a salary of \$15,000 per annum.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Hounslow, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE."

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Bilelessness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.

Dr. Greer, rector of St. Bartholomew's church, is paid \$15,000 a year. He possesses private means and returns his entire salary to his church.

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Dr. Killman—Good morning, Mr. Berrywell (undertaker). Very good, Mr. Berrywell. (To get the full force of this joke hear down very hard on the word "you.")

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts. 50 cts. \$1.00.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth.

A plague of monkeys afflicts Tanjore, in Southern India. The creatures do so much mischief that an official monkey catcher receives a rupee for each monkey captured.

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Somebody figures out that 3,000,000 people walk about London's streets daily, and that in so doing they wear away a ton of leather particles from their boots and shoes.

Merit Wins.
 For years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

Careful Parent—Before I can give consent to my proposed marriage to my daughter I must know something about your character. Suitor—Certainly, sir, certainly. Here is my bank book. Careful Parent (after a glance)—Take her, my son, and be happy.

Children who are troubled with worms may be quickly relieved by giving them Dr. J. H. McLean's Liquid Vermifuge. It kills all and expels worms. For sale by F. L. Jacobs, druggist.

Yellowly—It seems strange to me, Brownly, that Whitley always enjoys the most perfect health and yet takes no exercise. Brownly—Nothing strange about it at all. Whitley is too lazy to catch any disease.

Do Not Think for a Moment
 that catarrh will in time wear out. The theory is false. Men try to believe it because it would be pleasant if true, but it is not, as all know. Do not let an acute attack of cold in the head remain unhealed. It is liable to develop into catarrh. You can rid yourself of the cold and avoid all chance of catarrh by using Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. If already afflicted rid yourself of this troublesome disease speedily by the same means. At all druggists.

NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS.

The reason RADAM'S MICROBE KILLER is the most wonderful medicine is because it has never failed in any instance, no matter what the disease, from LEPROSY to the simplest disease known to the human system. The scientific men of today claim and prove that every disease is caused by microbes.

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